



OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

SHIPPENSBURG, PA

"My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; my spirit rejoices in God my savior."

NOVEMBER 3, 2019



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For the Son of man
is come to seek
AND TO SAVE
that which was lost.

Luke 19:10



Scripture Readings:

Wisdom 11:22-12:2

2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2

Luke 19:1-10

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Our Mission

To Proclaim the Kingdom of God
for the Salvation of Souls

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Weekend Masses - Saturday 5:00 PM; Sunday 8:30AM & 11:00AM

Daily Mass - 8:30 AM Monday - Saturday

Holy Day Mass - Check www.olvshippensburg.org click on "Liturgical Schedule."

Reconciliation - Saturdays, 3:30PM-4:30PM; First Fridays of the Month, 7:30AM-8:20AM and upon request

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament - 7:30AM - 8:30AM First Friday of the Month

Bible Study - Bible Study on the Prophets Wednesdays at 6:30PM

Religious Education- Sundays 9:45AM-11:00AM

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday 9:00AM. Email proposed bulletin and lector announcements to the Office Manager at tplotner@hbgdiocese.org

PRO-LIFE GROUP:

The next Pro-Life meeting is Tuesday, Jan. 14th, 2020 at 6:30PM the social hall..

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:

The Book Discussion Group meets on the second Tuesday of the month after the 8:30AM Mass. The new book is *Gifts of the Visitation, Nine Spiritual Encounters with Mary and Elizabeth*. For more information, contact Signe Kelker at 717-532-7353



Knights of Columbus & Ladies Auxiliary

Knights of Columbus & Ladies Auxiliary: The next Knights & Ladies meeting will be a joint meeting on Thursday, Nov. 7th at 7:00PM.

For more information about the Ladies Auxiliary please contact Donna Bonitz at 717-532-5369 or ddbbonitz@gmail.com

For more information about the Knights contact Mike Connor at 717-377-4042 or mconnor2001@gmail.com

COFFEE HOUR

Please join us for Coffee Hour downstairs in Mary's Kitchen after Mass.

Your hosts will be:

Nov. 3rd 8:30AM – Frontino 11:00AM – Huffner
Nov. 10th 8:30AM – Otruba 11:00AM - Emmons

**You are invited to a presentation
on the
Death Penalty
Biblical & Catholic Perspectives**



Fr. Dwight Schlaline
Wednesday November 20, 2019
6:30 - 8:00 PM
In the Parish Social Hall



**Advent By Candlelight—
Sunday, December 1st 5:00 to 7:00 pm.**

LADIES, want to be sure to have a place at our parish's Advent By Candlelight? Then sign up to be a hostess. For more information and/or to sign up contact Mary Poffenbarger -- email: missmary@lockfarm.net or 301-639-3297.

! SAFETY FIRST !

Heath, Safety, and Security Committee

The next Heath, Safety, and Security Committee meeting will be Tuesday, Nov. 12th at 6:30PM. All are invited to attend. The committee now has a page on the **Parish Website** - and there is information on it to provide transparency about the committee's activities

Contributions for Oct. 26-27, 2019

Ordinary Income	
Weekend Collection	\$4,113.50
Votives/Coffee Hour	74.25
Building Improvements	100.00
All Souls	40.00
All Saints	25.00
Social Outreach	85.00
Parish Youth Education	280.00
World Mission Sunday	240.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$4,957.75



The Devil's Attacks and Our Response

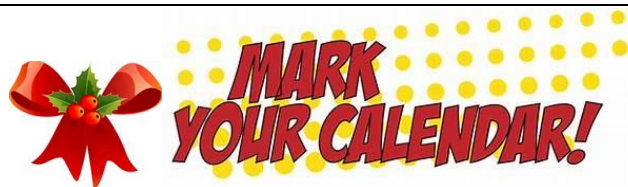
Presenter: Reverend John Szada,
Exorcist of the Diocese of Harrisburg
Wednesday November 13, 2019
6:30 - 8:00 PM
in the Parish Social Hall

CHURCH CALENDAR

Saturday Nov. 2	8:30AM Mass 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	People of the Parish Confession In Memory of the Marasigan Family
Sunday Nov.3	8:30AM Mass 9:45-11:00AM 11:00AM Mass	In Memory of the Stewart-Gelas Family Religious Education Class In Memory of Tony Fanella
Monday Nov. 4	8:30AM Mass	In Memory of Walter Doyle Jr.
Tuesday Nov. 5	8:30AM Mass	Intentions of Melissa Stahl
Wednesday Nov. 6	8:30AM Mass 6:30PM – 8:30PM	In Memory of John Falkie Conversion Story of Katlyn Michaels
Thursday Nov. 7	8:30AM Mass 7:00PM Mass	Intentions of Ed & Roberta Huffner Ladies Aux. & Knights of Columbus Meeting in Social Hall
Friday Nov. 8	8:30AM Mass	Intentions of Rich & Tammy Polifka
Saturday Nov. 9	8:30AM Mass 3:30PM-4:30PM 5:00PM Mass	People of the Parish Confession Intentions of Mike & Grace Massey
Sunday Nov.10	8:30AM Mass 9:45-11:00AM 11:00AM Mass	Intentions of Nancy Redington & Family Religious Education Class In Memory of Anna Margaret Wyonsky

Liturgical Ministers

Nov. 2-3	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lectors:	Mary Braun	Mary Poffenbarger	Roberta Huffner
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Tom Wright	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Bob & Sue Kiley	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Anezka Pospisilova & Volunteer	Brandon Reinsfelder & Volunteer	Kaz Predecki & Volunteer
Nov. 9-10	5:00 PM	8:30 AM	11:00 AM
Lectors:	Andrea Thornton	Sheryl Rose	Tom Feeney
Ushers:	Dan Marshall	Randy Prue	Leonard Joy
	Frank Kerch	Brian VanScyoc	Ed Kutlik
Altar Servers:	Travis Detwiler & Volunteer	Micheal Righter & Volunteer	Garrett Courson & Volunteer



Christmas Decorating

Please join us on Friday, Dec. 20th after the 8:30am Mass to help beautify our church for the Christmas Season. Many hands make for little work. Teenagers / men especially needed to help carrying trees and hang wreaths.



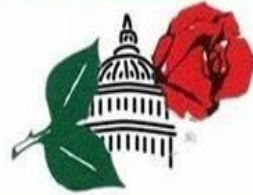
Making Disciples for the Kingdom of God

Calling all Catechists, RCIA Team Members, Youth Ministers, and All People Interested in Catholicism!

The annual Diocesan Catechetical Conference is Saturday, November 9, 2019 at the Diocesan Center. The theme is Making Disciples for Jesus and His Church. Keynote Speaker is Dr. Peter Murphy. Bishop Ronald Gainer will act as Principal Mass Celebrant and Homilist. There will be 32 workshops presented over four sessions by expert speakers, Priests, Religious, and Laity, on a multitude of teachings of the Catholic Faith. This is one of the largest annual events held at the Diocesan Center drawing hundreds of people. Conference fee is \$35, which includes breakfast and lunch. Registration deadline is Tuesday, November 5, 2019. For information or to register, go to www.hbgdiocese.org/cat_conference.



The 4th grade Religious Education class is collecting food donations for King's Kettle Food Pantry. The food is distributed to local families in need. The following items are being collected: canned vegetables, stuffing mix, instant mashed potatoes, gravy, cranberry sauce, cake mixes and icing. However, any non-perishable food items will be gladly accepted. **Donations can be placed in the box outside the Religious Education Office.** Thank you for your generous support during this time of thanks.



March for Life

Washington D.C.

Friday, January 24, 2020

Please join us for the March for Life on Friday, January 24, 2020 in Washington D.C. The March for Life is the largest pro-life rally in the world. The March attracts hundreds of thousands of Americans protesting the greatest human rights violation of our time - abortion. It is traditionally held in late January on the anniversary of the United States Supreme Court's ruling of *Roe vs. Wade* that legalized abortion.

"The Greatest Destroyer of Peace Today is Abortion"

- Mother Teresa 1994 National Prayer Breakfast Washington D.C.

Hundreds of **Silent No More** women and men attend the March each year. Their testimonies are shared in front of the Supreme Court Building. **Silent No More** is an international organization that unites thousands of individuals suffering from previous abortion experiences. Please visit their website for more information at silentnomoreawareness.org and remember that women are victims of abortion and abortion hurts women.

A chartered bus, sponsored by the generous support of the Chambersburg Council of the Knights of Columbus will be leaving Our Lady of the Visitation's Church parking lot at 305 North Prince Street in Shippensburg at 7:30AM and return at approximately 6PM. Cost is \$10 per person to reserve your seat and cover the driver tip, snacks, water and parking for the bus.

REGISTRATION FORMS ARE IN THE LOBBY OF THE CHURCH AND UPSTAIRS NEAR THE BULLETIN BOARDS. THEY ALSO CAN BE FOUND ON OLV'S WEBSITE.

PLEASE JOIN US THIS WEDNESDAY, NOV. 6TH

IN HIS IMAGE: FROM ATHEISM TO DYNAMIC CATHOLICISM

On Wednesday, November 6th at 6:30PM in the Our Lady of the Visitation Parish Hall, Katlyn Michaels will be discussing her reversion to the Catholic faith. After six years of staunch atheism and antitheism, Katlyn returned to the Church in 2016. She is now a deeply devoted young adult Catholic who is outspoken about her Faith. Katlyn will be talking about the Truth and Beauty found in Catholicism, how to handle a relative's crisis of faith, and how our true identity is found in Jesus Christ. Admission is free and light refreshments will be provided! Ages 13+ are welcome to attend this relevant and powerful talk!



The Food Bank could use the following items: Ramen noodles, canned vegetables and canned meat. Please put the items in the box outside the confessional. Thanks for your support.



**PARISH 2020
CALENDARS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE
CHURCH LOBBY**

ASSISTED SUICIDE PRESENTATION: The culture of death includes an ever-expanding push toward doctor-prescribed suicide, also known as assisted suicide. All staff and volunteers who serve in Health Care Ministry & Helping Ministries are invited to a presentation that will explain the problem of assisted suicide, its scope, and successful ways to counter it through life-affirming, peaceful action. Our guest speaker is Maria V. Gallagher from the PA Pro-Life Federation. Presentation will be held on Wednesday, November 6 at 10:30 am at the Diocesan Center in Harrisburg. There is no registration fee but we ask that you RSVP by contacting Jaclyn Curran at (717) 657-4804 ext. 313 or jcurran@hbgdiocese.org. This presentation is open to all.

Don't Forget: Election this Tuesday

Vote on Tuesday, November 5. This being an "off year," it is easy to forget about voting. But perhaps these elections are more important than we realize! As Catholics, we are part of a community with profound teachings that help us consider challenges in public life, contribute to greater justice and peace for all people, and evaluate policy positions in light of the Gospel in order to help build a better world. We have a moral obligation to participate in the political process. Mark your calendar for Election Day on November 5, 2019. Then exercise your faithful citizenship and VOTE! For more info check out pacatholic.org.

Have You Considered Your Parish In Your Estate Plan?

Retirement Plan Bequests Can Save Taxes for Heirs

If you wish to make a charitable bequest at death, you may want to consider designating ***Our Lady of the Visitation Parish*** as the beneficiary of your retirement plan (IRA, 401(k), profit sharing plan, etc.). Generally, income tax is payable on a distribution to a beneficiary from the retirement plan. If a charity is named as the beneficiary, however, the income tax is avoided on the distribution from the retirement plan following one's death, and the parish, school or agency and your heirs retain a greater percentage of your estate than if the retirement plan benefits were given to your heirs. For further information on how to include your parish in your estate plan, please refer to the Giving page at www.hbgdiocese.org/giving



In the charity of your prayers, please remember Marie Matteucci, who passed away on Saturday, October 26. Marie's Funeral Mass was held at OLV on Saturday, November 2. May the mercy of God bring her fullness of life in Heaven.

Mark Your Calendars

UPCOMING EVENTS



Wednesday Nov. 6	6:30PM – 8:00PM In the social hall	<u>Conversion Story of Katlyn Michaels</u>
Wednesday Nov. 13	6:30PM – 8:00PM In the social hall	<u>The Devil's Attacks and Our Response- Fr. John Szada</u>
Wednesday Nov. 20	6:30PM – 8:00PM In the social hall	<u>Presentation on the Death Penalty – Fr. Dwight Schlaline</u>
Sunday Dec. 1	5:00PM – 7:00PM In the social hall	<u>Ladies Advent By Candlelight</u>
Sunday Dec. 8	4:00PM In the social hall	<u>Parish Christmas Party</u>
Sunday Dec. 15	10:00AM In the church	<u>Religious Ed Children Christmas Program</u>
Wednesday Dec. 18	6:30PM In the church	<u>Parish Advent Penance Service</u>
Friday Dec. 20	9:00AM	<u>Decorate the church for Christmas</u>
Tues. & Wed. Dec. 24 -25	5:00PM Midnight 10:00AM	<u>Mass</u> <u>Mass</u> <u>Mass</u>



Questions about the Stages of Development of an Infant

Question

1. Where will I snuggle and be nurtured for about 9 months
2. During my first Month I grew 10,000 times my size at conception, how big am I?
3. What language does 'fetus' come from and what does it mean?
4. What does the baby now have that is unique?
5. What does the baby have in common with Martin Luther King, Jr.?
6. What does this 5th month represent in the Baby's development?
7. What happens to this natural skin cream after birth?
8. How many senses is the baby now using?
9. What am I doing to prepare for my birth?

Answer

1. The soft lining of my mother's womb or Mother's womb
2. 1 Inch or I'm tiny
3. Latin, "little one" or "young one"
4. Fingerprints
5. Dream
6. The half-way point
7. It's absorbed into the skin
8. Four
9. Shifting to a head-down position



